



St John's Mead School
Valuing Effort, Valuing Others, Valuing Self

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Open Day dates for Reception 2026

Thank you for your interest in St. John's Mead CEVC Primary for your child starting school in September 2026. We have pleasure in inviting you to one of our open day events. This is an opportunity to visit the school and find out further information about our reception classes.

We understand that making the decision for your child's new school is an important one. You want the best for your child: an environment where they are nurtured and treated as an individual so they can enjoy learning, develop educationally, socially and emotionally, and be safe at the same time. It is also important that you are confident in your decision and trust the people that are caring for your child. You may find that not all your questions are answered straight away, that is why we will be happy to make time to talk about your child's needs, one-to-one, whenever you need to.

What happens next?

We would love to see you at one of our 'Open Day' events on the following dates:

- Tuesday 23th September 2-3pm
- Monday 6th October 2-3pm
- Wednesday 5th November 9.30-10.30am
- Wednesday 5th November 4-5pm
- Wednesday 3rd December 9.30-10.30am

If you would like to visit our school, please reply by email or call Mrs Denley or Mrs Cook in the office and let us know which date you would prefer. If you are unable to attend on any of the dates above, please let us know and we will try to arrange a suitable alternative with you.

How to apply for a school place.

A booklet is available to download from the internet at www.southglos.gov.uk/admissions along with an online application form. The final submission date for your application is 15th January 2026. We know that this process can be a daunting one so if we can be of any assistance when you are completing the application form, please do not hesitate to contact us.

We look forward to meeting you and your child in the near future and hope that this will be the beginning of a long and happy partnership with our school.

Yours sincerely

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